

## Message Text

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ACTION COME-00

INFO OCT-01 AF-08 ISO-00 EB-08 /017 W  
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R 311455Z JAN 77  
FM AMEMBASSY PRETORIA  
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 6725  
INFO AMCONSUL CAPE TOWN

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CAPE TOWN FOR EMBASSY

E.O. 11652: N/A  
TAGS: EINV, SF, US  
SUBJECT: US INVESTMENT IN SOUTH AFRICA

REF: STATE 8896

1. SOUTH AFRICAN PRESS HAS REPORTED THAT CHIEF SEBE MENTIONED FOLLOWING US FIRMS IN CONNECTION WITH AGRICULTURAL PROJECTS IN CISKEI: MOBIL, UNION CARBIDE, CATERPILLAR AND JOHN DEERE. PROJECTS INCLUDE IRRIGATION SCHEME AT KEISKAMMAHOEK, IRRIGATION PROJECT AT TYEFU NEAR PEDDIE AND PINEAPPLE-GROWING PROJECT NEAR PEDDIE. (SEE ALSO DURBAN 607, CAPE TOWN 1205 AND DAPE TOWN A-57 OF 1976.)

2. IN RECENT CONTACTS, CISKEI OFFICIALS CLOSE TO SEBE INDICATE THAT NOTHING IS HAPPENING ON THESE PROPOSALS AT PRESENT BUT SEBE WILL PROBABLY FOLLOW UP WITH US FIRMS DURING VISIT TO US IN LATE MARCH.  
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## Message Attributes

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